



## DoD WORLDWIDE EDUCATION SYMPOSIUM 2012

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MGM GRAND, LAS VEGAS ★ JULY 23-27 ★ WW2012.COM

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### Worldwide Education Symposium 2012 Registration Opens October 3

**Potomac Falls, VA — September 14, 2011** — The Department of Defense (DoD) is pleased to announce that attendee registration for the DoD Worldwide Education Symposium 2012 (WW12) opens October 3, 2011. WW12 takes place July 23-27, 2012 at the MGM Grand and The Signature at MGM Grand, in Las Vegas, Nevada. Held every three years, WW12 is expected to attract over 2,500 attendees, with over 50% representing DoD. To ensure your attendance, early registration is strongly encouraged.

The theme for WW12, is “Educating the Force —Joint Effort, Joint Success”, and will explore strategies to effectively deliver voluntary education programs that enhance the Service member’s capacity to serve while enabling them to improve their quality of life. This highly anticipated event is the most-attended conference focused on military education programs, and for some, the only conference they will attend in 2012.

Previously known as the Worldwide Military Services Education Conference and coordinated by Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES) since 1994, each subsequent conference held has expanded in participation and scope. This year’s event promises to be the best yet, providing career opportunities, and stimulating creative thought about current educational issues while fostering joint service partnerships to meet changing needs and declining resources.

Mark your calendars to register beginning October 3, 2011 at [www.ww2012.com](http://www.ww2012.com).

**About WW2012** The Department of Defense Worldwide Education Symposium and Expo 2012 (WW12) is expected to attract over 2,500 attendees, with over 50% representing DoD (military, civilian and contract personnel). Other attendees will include officials from over 250 colleges and universities, and many educational organizations and industries that support higher education. The symposium is held every three years. For more information on WW2012, please visit [www.ww2012.com](http://www.ww2012.com).

### About DoD Voluntary Education

To find out more about the DoD Voluntary Education Program, please visit <http://apps.mhf.dod.mil>.

### About DANTES

To find out more information about all DANTES programs and services, please visit <http://dantes.doded.mil>.

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